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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Yuzuru Suzuki et al.

Application No.: 10/787,016

Filed: February 24, 2004

For: THRUST MEMBER ATTACHED TO OUTER SURFACE OF MOTOR BODY, AND MOTOR INCLUDING

SAME

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 3960

Examiner: Karl I. Tamai

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2834

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mailed November 21, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 21, 2007, please enter the following amendments and remarks. A petition for a two month extension of time to file this response is being submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.